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Dear Requestor,

The attached record(s) are being provided by the Office of Regulatory Affairs (ORA) Division of Import Operations in response to your request 2019-1836 dated 03/05/2019 for record(s) from the Food and Drug Administration pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act regarding:

Subject: All evidence relied upon and supporting FDA's decision to issue Import Alert 66-41.

Additional info: Please provide all evidence relied upon and supporting FDA's decision to issue Import Alert 66-41. Please provide all evidence relied upon and supporting FDA's decision to use Import Alert 66-41 to prevent importation of any kratom or Mitragynine speciosa plant material

ORA's Division of Import Operations considers your request closed. If you have any questions about this response, you may contact S. Max Brewster at 301-796-8994 or <a href="max.brewster@fda.hhs.gov">max.brewster@fda.hhs.gov</a>. All communications concerning this request should be identified with the reference number above.

If you are not satisfied with any aspect of the processing and handling of this request, please contact:

Division of Freedom of Information U.S. Food & Drug Administration 5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1035 Rockville, MD 20857 PHONE: 301-796-3900

FAX: 301-827-9267



You may also contact the FDA FOIA Public Liaison for assistance at:

U.S. Food & Drug Administration Office of the Executive Secretariat 5630 Fishers Lane, Room 1035 Rockville, MD 20857 EMAIL: FDAFOIA@fda.hhs.gov

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Sincerely yours,

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